



**PATENT**  
**ATTORNEY DOCKET NO: USCR-7-CON3**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: John Walker Gilmer	)	Examiner: Shruti Costales
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Appl. No: 10/674,844	)	Art Unit: 1714
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Filed: September 30, 2003	)	Deposit Acct. No: 04-1403
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Title: Process for Preparing An	)	Confirmation No: 4467
Exfoliated, High I.V. Polymer Nano-	)	
Composite with an Oligomer Resin	)	Customer ID No: 22827
Precursor And An Article Produced	)	
Therefrom	)	

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In Response to the Office Action dated September 6, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance in view of the following:

Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2 of this Response

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 3 of this Response.

Remarks begin on Page 7 of this Response.